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We have had occasion lately to acknowledge the returning kindness of some old friends, from whom minor differences had temporarily separated us, and also considerate and pleasing recommendations from our contemporaries of the press. As these appear to be applying on our hands, who are in other favors and interests from various sources, we have chosen this method of acknowledgment, rather than the more laborious one of various private communications. But, however it is made, we wish all our friends, both those with whom we either publicly agree, or agree to disagree, to feel that we do most heartily respond to their kind expressions of friendship or approval, and in discharge of our arduous duties will endeavor to merit, as we do appreciate, their flattering countenances and judicious criticism.

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It is with feelings of this kind that we resume a review of the past, and recall many a gone better day, when thought, sympathy, and interest with them in the cause of Democracy, when these now conduct in prison were the bitterest and most unscrupulous enemies the "Locofoco" party.

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